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Proposed Bill No. 449

LCO No. 1331

Referred to Committee on Appropriations

Introduced by:

SEN. MCKINNEY, 28th Dist.

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REP. CAFERO, 142nd Dist.

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AN ACT CONCERNING STATE EMPLOYEE RETIREMENT BENEFITS.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That the general statutes be amended to, effective immediately for
- 2 all state employees and officials exempt from classified service and
- 3 applicable to employees included in any collective bargaining
- 4 agreement negotiated or renewed after the passage of this act, increase
- 5 the level of state employee contribution into the Other Post
- 6 Employment Benefits trust fund, increase the age that state employees
- 7 are eligible for retirement and early retirement, permit only those state
- 8 employees who go directly into retirement to be eligible to receive
- 9 health care benefits, require the age of retirement and time of service to
- 10 equal eighty years or more and require state employees who retire
- 11 with less than twenty-five years of experience to pay premiums on a
- 12 sliding scale based on years of service.

Statement of Purpose:

To create parity between state and private health insurance plans.